

CLAIMS

I claim:

1 1. A disposable swab, comprising:
2 a rigid body having a handle portion and a lower edge; and
3 an absorbent pad disposed at said lower edge of said rigid
4 body, said absorbent pad being pre-moistened with sanitizing
5 fluid.

1 2. The disposable swab according to claim 1, wherein said
2 rigid body is a flat rigid card.

1 3. The disposable swab of claim 2, wherein said flat
2 rigid card is rectangular and said lower edge extends from one
3 corner to an adjacent corner.

1 4. The disposable swab of claim 1, wherein said absorbent
2 pad is selected from the group consisting of a non-woven fabric,
3 woven fabric, and sponge-like material.

1 5. The disposable swab of claim 1, wherein said
2 sanitizing fluid is antibacterial and antiviral.

1 6. The disposable swab of claim 1, wherein said
2 sanitizing fluid is fast drying.

1 7. The disposable swab of claim 1, wherein said
2 sanitizing fluid is scented.

1 8. The disposable swab of claim 1, wherein said absorbent
2 pad is fixed to said rigid body by adhesive.

1 9. The disposable swab of claim 1, wherein said absorbent
2 pad is mechanically fixed to said rigid body.

1 10. The disposable swab according to claim 1, further
2 comprising a moisture-impregnable wrapper extending around and
3 encapsulating at least said absorbent pad.

1 11. The disposable swab of claim 10, wherein said
2 moisture-impregnable wrapper is sealed to said rigid body
3 allowing said handle portion to extend out of said wrapper.

1 12. The disposable swab of claim 10, wherein said moisture
2 impregnable wrapper is sealed to said rigid body using adhesive.

1 13. The disposable swab of claim 10, wherein said moisture
2 impregnable wrapper is heat-sealed to said rigid body.

1 14. The disposable swab of claim 10, wherein said moisture
2 impregnable wrapper completely encapsulates said swab.

1 15. A disposable swab comprising:
2 a flat card having a handle portion and a lower edge;
3 an absorbent pad disposed at the lower edge, said absorbent
4 pad extending from one corner at one end of said lower edge to
5 an adjacent corner at an opposite end of said lower edge.

1 16. The disposable swab of claim 15, wherein said flat
2 card is rectangular.]

1 17. The disposable swab of claim 15 wherein said absorbent
2 pad is pre-moistened with sanitizing fluid and encapsulated in a
3 moisture-impregnable wrapper.

1 18. A disposable swab for cleaning a toilet seat,
2 comprising:

3 a flat rectangular card made from a thermoplastic material,
4 the card having a handle portion adapted for being grasped by a
5 user;

6 an absorbent pad attached to an edge of the card;

7 a cleansing and sanitizing solution, the absorbent pad
8 being pre-moistened with the cleansing and sanitizing solution;
9 and

10 a removable wrapper disposed about the pre-moistened,
11 absorbent pad, the wrapper encapsulating the absorbent pad in
12 order to prevent loss of the cleansing and sanitizing solution
13 before use;

14 whereby the wrapper is removed, the user grasping the
15 handle portion of the card to clean the toilet seat with the
16 pre-moistened absorbent card, the swab being disposed of after
17 use.